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## WHAT WAS DONE DURING LAST WEEK.

**Shipments of Zinc Ores and Fluor Spar on the Increase Throughout the District.**

### MINING AND BUSINESS INTERESTS BUOYANT.

Mr. Marshall Dyer, of Princeton, is negotiating for one or two pieces of our mineral bearing ground.

2,560,000 pounds of fluor spar was handled by the Kentucky Fluor Spar Company during the month of April.

The Farmers Bank has had, during the past six months, a remarkable increase of business. Their yearly balance sheet will show handsome earnings.

Sunday last seemed to be reception day at the "Old Jim" mine. Dozens of carriages and scores of saddle horses were in attendance, with their freight of ladies and gentlemen.

Pierce & Son, whose extensive livery stables are so well known throughout Western Kentucky, have had vacant stalls as a rule after 9 o'clock every morning for weeks past.

E. J. Hayward, cashier of the Farmers Bank, has purchased the Donkey farm. The showing of galena in a large, well defined ledge by the roadside on this land indicates its prospective value for mining purposes.

Baldorf Brothers of Henderson have optioned the Hugh Hughes farm of 250 acres, the consideration being \$6,000. The land is separated from the Blue & Nunn carbonate farm by a narrow strip of land belonging to the Farmer estate.

A cross cut in the Bonanza mine of the American Lead, Zinc and Fluorspar company near Lola, has been made from near the bottom of the shaft and shows according to the statement of Mr. Morton, the General Manager, a vein between walls of 26 feet.

The shipments of zinc ore from the Blue & Nunn property, "The Old Jim," during the last two weeks of April amounted to exactly 1,060,000 pounds. Had the roads been in fair condition, even this large tonnage would have been greatly increased.

Here's a little unsolicited advice to the miners and laborers in this district: Your wages have been advanced during the past twelve months fully one third, and in many instances more than 75 per cent. Don't expect the mine owners to hand you over their entire bank roll; they have to live too. Give them a little leeway and help them to get back a lot of money paid you for dead work.

Mr. W. D. Wallingford, our good looking tivery stable proprietor, is doing his first worrying. So many people are calling for conveyances through this mining section that not only his 26 horses are kept on the jump, but all the outside rigs he can possibly control are earning money. The opening of the Crittenden Springs hotel will add largely to Wallingford's troubles, it being five miles from the depot, and a larger clientele than usual is expected at that delightful summer resort.

The district is full of lessees and option holders, and a great amount of prospecting work is being done. The Press will keep in touch with any new developments that may be made of importance enough to chronicle. Our space is too limited to mention any prospect that does not show marketable material. Get down to lead or zinc, or fluor spar, ochre, kaolin, fire clay, coal, oil orumber, and the Press will gladly add you to our list of "public benefactors" and say "sweet things about you and your prospects as one could wish for."

The banks, merchants, and the business generally of Marion was greater during the past month than ever known before. Mr. Schwab, in the matter of chickens, eggs, etc., paid out over \$500 daily or more than \$13,000 during the month. 19,948 chickens, weighing 92,210 pounds and 64,727 dozen of eggs were part of the product for which the above sum of money was paid. The banks at their annual meeting will declare large dividends, the merchants have generally discounted all their bills, and indeed nowhere in the country can a more prosperous condition prevail than in this city.

The 120 acres purchased by the Croce Mining Company is being actively exploited. The original prospect shaft, 10 by 12 feet, is now at a depth of 65 feet and shows vein matter ten feet in width, carrying an average 32 per cent. lead and 29 per cent zinc blende.

A second shaft 6 by 8 on the same vein 25 yards distant from the prospect shaft, is down 50 feet and the same high grade lead and zinc ores prevail.

At about 60 feet fluor spar practically leaves the shaft, calcite taking its place, confirming the views of the Press many times stated, that the fluor spar zone in many places is of shallow depth, and that ultimately zinc and lead ores will prevail. Mr. Jas. Henry states that twelve men are now employed, and that this number will be doubled as soon as power can be installed for hoisting and other purposes.

The Bigham fluor spar mine, almost within the city limits, is being actively worked under the direction of Mr. Finley. He reports a very strong, solid vein of 4 feet in width of high grade fluor spar, at the bottom of the extremely well timbered shaft sunk by the Chicago Mining Company. This latter company evidently missed a good thing by throwing up the sponge too early in the game. They had already discovered a fine zinc blende or black jack running with the vein of fluor spar, which would have assuredly returned handsome dividends by this time. The shipments of fluor spar from this shaft was always most satisfactory to the Federal Steel company and with the addition of the ore of zinc mentioned, a paying mine was already in sight when the Chicago company laid down their hands. It will now be pushed to a successful conclusion by the present owners and we wish them success.

Europe is a heavy consumer of corn-oil. Our exports in 1899 were \$338,000; in 1900 \$398,000; and in 1901 \$2,045,000.

Immense quantities of glucose,

"The King of the Platform!"

OPERA HOUSE

Tuesday Night May 20

GOV. BOB TAYLOR,  
OF TENNESSEE,

IN HIS LATEST AND BEST LECTURE

"THE OLD PLANTATION."

The Famous Entertainer will be Assisted by  
A SUPERB MALE QUARTETTE.

Seats on Sale at Press Office.—Prices 50cts, 75cts, \$1.00. Secure your tickets early  
The Star Feature of the "Brilliant Constellation."

AGAIN'S KING.

Corn, Once Dressed, is Again  
On Top.

Thirty to Forty Table Products Is  
Made From the Kernel.

The farmers of Western Kentucky, who have finished drilling in their corn, will learn with surprise that there is made into thirty or forty manufactured products, each which is proving a valuable article in the commercial world. The Corn Products company of New York, with a capital of \$80,000,000, will consume as much corn as all Europe buys in a small port year. The capacity of the company's factories is estimated at 75,000,000 bushels annually or 1,500,000 bushels per week. Such products as beer, corn oil, starch, sugar, rubber, mucilage, gumdrops, wall paper, soap, ink, salad dressing, and a score of other articles which enter into the hands of every life are produced from corn.

There are four parts to a kernel of corn; the outer covering, the hull or bran, then the end, starchy part, the starch, and finally the little white point which extends through the tip called the germ. This germ is the most interesting and the most valuable. Formerly it was

looked upon as an nuisance, and every effort was made to get rid of it when grinding; now the germs are put under extreme pressure, and the oil is squeezed out, and the little coats of starch into oil cake for the cattle. Corn oil is of golden color, and so sweet and pure that it is taking the place of olive oil. It will stand for years in any climate without changing its color or becoming rancid. For a barrel of 380 pounds to Chicago manufacturer gets \$2 or about six cents a pound, a nice price for what was thrown away new years ago.

Corn rubber has the outward characteristics of true rubber, even to the odor. It undergoes a sulphur treatment and a baking, and the result is rubber, which can be sold for about one-tenth the price of true rubber.

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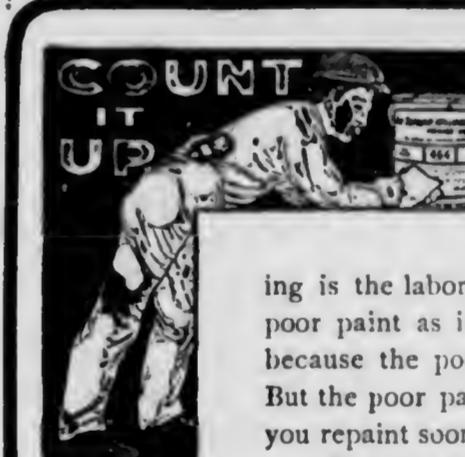
Elks Jubilee Carnival

Paducah, Ky., May 12-17.

One Royal Purple Week with Jolly Elks.

The Famous Bostock Ferri Midway Company, who were at the Pan American Exposition will furnish the attractions.

Low Rates on all Railroads and Steamboats



If you stop to figure out where the true economy in paint buying comes, you'll soon see that the best paint is cheapest. Two-thirds the cost of painting is the labor. It costs just as much to put on poor paint as it does good paint—more in fact because the poor paint doesn't work so easily. But the poor paint won't last as long; it makes you repaint sooner.

Even the apparent saving in cost per gallon is eaten up by the fact that it takes more gallons of the low priced paint.

The truest economy is good prepared paint. The truest prepared paint is THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT.

SOLD BY

BOSTON & WALKER, MARION, KY.

city of starch produced is almost incalculable.

It is hardly possible, with the many and varied uses to which corn is applied, that it will ever again reach the low prices of 1899.

Wanted Miners and Contractors!

The Pittsburg Fluor spar Mining and Mfg Co. at Smithland, Ky., want miners and contractors to work on their lands on veins of spar already open, and to deliver the same on top at an agreed price.

Also sink shafts by the foot, the Company to furnish timber necessary.

Powder and blasting material will be supplied at cost.

Pittsburg Mining & Mfg Co.  
Smithland, Kentucky.

WANTS TO KNOW.

"I have used DeWitt's Little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver, and they are all right. I am glad to endorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it," writes Albert Heinze, Quincey, Ill. They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe, pills. At Haynes'.

JOB COULDN'T HAVE STOOD IT.

If he had had itching piles. They're terribly annoying, but Buckle's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For injuries, pains or bodily eruptions it is the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. At Woods'.

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious

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NEW YORK



## The Secret of True Pathos

By MISS ANNIE RUSSELL



The Greatest Exponent of Natural Pathos on the Stage

You ask me for the secret of true pathos—how to get tears from an audience.

You find it, I answer, in sincerity and simplicity.

Remember, now, I don't propose to set up as a mentor, but to all of my sisters whose art it is to play upon the sympathy of their audiences I would say WATCH EVERYDAY HUMANITY, SEE HOW THE EVERYDAY WOMAN WILL ACT IN THE FACE OF SORROW AND TRIAL, AND COPY—can I make it more impressive? COPY HER.

Whatever success I have attained has been due to the fact that I have tried to be true to the character, true to the author's ideal, but above all TRUE TO MYSELF.

Peg Woffington was the greatest mistress of pathos the stage ever produced. You remember her definition of the art of pathos, of course, but here it is again: "The secret of true emotion in acting has never, so far as my experience goes, been discovered, and it never will be. No actress ever lived who could make an audience shed tears by the mere effort to do so. Her audience cry with the character, not with the actress. ONLY, THEREFORE, WHEN SHE CEASES TO BECOME THE ACTRESS AND BECOMES THE WOMAN WHOSE BROKEN HEART SHE PORTRAYS CAN SHE HOPE TO AWAKEN A RESPONSIVE CORD IN THE HEARTS OF HER HEARERS. BUT THE SECRET OF EXTRACTING SYMPATHY FROM AN AUDIENCE BY THE MERE EFFORT OF WILL REMAINS A SECRET STILL."

That truth applies now. No actress will get tears by simply trying to do so. If she tries she cannot feel. If she cannot feel her audience surely cannot. Of this I speak from my own experience—the best kind, you will admit.

To win the hearts of your people you must lose yourself in the part. When I say that, I mean that you should be true to the character. Here is an illustration:

In the "Salt of the Earth," in which I appeared a few years ago, a girl hears that her mother will sell the home in which she was born and reared. What does she do? Simply sits down on a stool and presses her hand before her eyes as if brushing away a tear. That action is strictly in keeping with the simple matter-of-fact character of the country farmhouse girl. She might clasp her hair and gurgle and sob all in one, but the audience would not BELIEVE HER, and then hearts could not be touched because THEY KNOW that the farmhouse girl would do nothing of the kind. She would cry and yet keep on during the chairs, BUT HER GRIEF WOULD BE REAL AND HONEST. This I define as sincere and simple.

That very rare quality which we actors know as "tears in the voice" is a wonderful help in winning tears from your audience. TO HAVE SYMPATHY ONE MUST HAVE SUFFERED, and out of these things we evolve that indefinite quality which we know as personal magnetism. The power to influence the emotions of our audience must be possessed by the actress who would win tears.

Merely for your own satisfaction note—it you have not done so already—that an actress of the cold, placid, phlegmatic temperament, slow to move, slow to feel, will never reach the emotions.

### A BASKET LIBRARY.

**Novel Plan of Circulating Books Tried at Northampton, Mass.**

A free public library in a basket is something new in the library line, says the New York Sun, but it has been tried in two or three places and has worked successfully. The town of Northampton, Mass., has the distinction of circulating more books through its public library than almost any similar institution in the United States, in proportion to population, and the basket library has proved one of several elements in achieving this record.

Two young women connected with the library, enthusiasts in their work, under the direction of the librarian, went out into the suburbs with a basket of books one fine day in the summer, and plumped themselves down by the wayside, near a large mill. When the workmen came out and passed by on their way to their homes, the young women explained to them that they could take any of the books along with them if they signed the necessary papers, which would make them liable in case the books were damaged or destroyed.

The workmen became interested and soon the young women found they had plenty of business on their hands. They made the trip two or three times a week, and little by little the workmen got to look for them.

On the days appointed a library janitor would hustle the book basket on the front platform of a trolley car, and near the end of the line the motorman would stop and put it off for them. Right where they stopped the young women opened shop.

Each day they would receive many books returned by the workmen and would lend them others. Usually they brought out with them the books the men had signified a wish to read. Sooner or later a small branch library will probably take the place of the basket, which, by the way, before the close of the summer, had grown into a large and capacious clothes basket.

### Tie It Up.

If a man is inclined to lead a fast life he should lend it to the nearest hitching post and tie it up.—London Tit-Bits.

### The Oldest University.

### FROWNS, TEARS AND KISSES.

**Lost: A Diary Containing a Girl's Very Dearest Secrets.**

"Diary?" echoed the pretty young lady with dashing eyes as she walked down the avenue with a companion, says London Tit-Bits. "Diary? Don't you ever dare say diary to me again. What do you know about it, Kate?"

"Nothing; only that you told me that you had commenced keeping a diary, as usual, and I supposed you had dropped it at the end of a month, as usual. I didn't mean to throw you into mysteries."

"Kate, don't you ever breathe a word of it, but I've lost that diary; dropped it somewhere on the street. And the plaguey thing had all my dearest secrets in it. I wrote just what I thought, too. It just sends me crazy. There it is in black and white that I can look like a fright, that I little is turning green with jealousy, that Cleary is just too sweet to live, and that Fred hasn't sense enough to talk more than three minutes unless he rehearses in advance."

"Why don't you advertise and offer a reward?"

"I'm afraid I won't. I never want to see the thing again. If anyone returns it I shall declare that it's a forgery from being so old. I'll never own up to the longest day I live."

"What did you say about me, Edna?"

"Edna, I don't just remember, but something else. You can depend on that for you're my very dearest friend."

"I can help your memory. You wrote that I was the most impulsive little nitwit in the city, and that I thought it my special business to look after other people's business. Here's your diary. You left it at my house, and Iummy spelled out your estimate of me before I knew what he was doing. Good afternoon."

Then they looked at each other, both began to cry, fell into each other's arms, and in five minutes were etching a mutual friend.

### AN ENGLISH STORY.

**Like Other Stories It Has Two Sides—Price of a Shave.**

A man walking through the suburbs of a certain large town, says London Tit-Bits, noticed a barber's pole to which was attached a sign-board with the inscription: "Shaving One Halfpenny."

He came being rough and his funds low he promptly entered the shop, seated himself in the chair, and asked to be shaved.

The knight of the razor carefully lathered and scraped away at one side of the customer's face, sponged it, and drew the cloth away with the usual flourish.

"But you don't call this finished?" expostulated his victim, keeping his seat.

"Beg pardon, sir, do you want the other side done as well?" said the barber, with a hair-only smile.

"Certainly I do. Do you think I can go out in the street half shaved?" replied the other.

And the barber proceeded to operate on the other side of his customer. When the jowls finished the man, who began to smell a rat, fumbled in his pockets and fished out a halfpenny, which he tendered to the barber.

"Another halfpenny, if you please, sir," said the latter.

"What? You've got on your board outside, 'Shaving a ha'penny'?"

"Very true. But if you will have the goodness to observe, you'll find that that inscription is on each side of the board."

"I know that."

"Very good, sir. There are two sides to my board—and two sides to your face."

"I see," replied the man, with his hand on the door knob, "and, if you will have the goodness to observe that ha'penny, you will find there are two sides to that as well."

### Transplanting an Eye.

A doctor in Clinton believes he has succeeded in successfully transplanting a rabbit's eye to a human being. A miner in an explosion entirely lost one eye and the cornea of the other. The cornea of a live rabbit was placed on the partly destroyed eye, and the doctor thinks it will keep alive. It already admits light and relieves the miner of total blindness.—London Tit-Bits.

### Wine for Horses.

The oldest university in the world is at Peking. It is called the "School for the Sons of the Empire." Its antiquity is very great, and a granite register consisting of stone columns, 320 in number, contains the names of 60,000 graduates.

### AS TO COMPLEXION CULTURE.

**Two Girls Who Had Been Following All the Directions Printed.**

They met outside a downtown restaurant, both looking the worse for wind and weather, says the Milwaukee Sentinel.

"Yes, of course, I'm going in," said the thin girl. "I'm tired out, and want a cup of chocolate."

"Horror!" said her over-plump friend. "I'll take lemonade. Acid to reduce flesh, you know. I wouldn't take chocolate for worlds! Isn't this a dreadful day? I wouldn't have come out at all, only the article on beauty in yesterday's paper said that tan was good for the complexion."

The thin girl nodded sympathetically.

"That's why I came, too," she said. "I've tried every recipe that's been given. What's your trouble?"

"Too much fat, principally. But I'm using the exercises Miss Verbose gave in Saturday's issue. She says they have reduced her wonderfully."

The thin girl looked interested.

"I suppose she has a fine complexion," she said. "I've used seven of her recipes within the past ten days. She advises buttermilk for the skin, but it's mighty unpleasant to use. I go to be smeared with it, and feel like making faces all the time to stretch my skin. Mother doesn't approve of my spending so much time in making lotions, and says my complexion won't be all right if I left it alone. My bureau is covered with bottles."

"So is mine," said the fat girl, laughing good-naturedly. "Tom came in to take some of my perfume this morning, and took hair tonic by mistake. Rubbed some on his hands, you know, and nearly took the skin off. I wonder what is in that tonic to make it burn so?"

"Reserveon," said the third voice, quickly.

The girls had been so intent on their conversation that they had failed to notice the dowdy little figure that sat next them. She was such a very dowdy little woman that they looked at her with curiosity as well as surprise. Her sallow face was woefully thin, and her dress looked as though she had slept in it for a week or two. An unrimmed black bonnet sat jauntily over one ear.

"Reserveon, my dears," she repeated. "That's what it is."

She finished drinking her tea, and then with a court nod left the table.

"Graceons!" said the fat girl, looking after the queer figure. "Who in the world is that?"

"That's Miss Verbose, miss," said the trig little waitress. "The same as writes beauty articles, you know."

The fat girl and the thin girl looked at each other.

"I'm going to devote my time to reading editorials after this, Jennie," said the former. "I guess I'm good enough as I was made."

"I guess so," said Jennie, wearily. "No more recipes at any rate. If she looks that way after trying them all, we can be thankful we stopped in time. Here, let me pay. It would be a relief."

### A SYRIAN INDUSTRY.

**Cultivation of Poplars for Lumber Extensive in the Orient.**

The cultivation of poplars for lumber is an extensive industry in Syria, writes W. E. Curtis, in the Chicago Record-Herald. A crop is planted regularly every year. By irrigation the trees grow rapidly, shooting up like stalks of sugar cane, and are kept trimmed so that all the strength of the sap shall go into the trunk and none shall be wasted in branches.

You see mile after mile of groves of thin waisted poplars planted as closely as possible. When they are large enough they are cut close to the ground, shipped to market and the roots are grubbed out for fuel. There is a great demand for roof poles or rafters. The houses in this part of the world, like those in Mexico, are built of adobe—sun-dried clay. The walls are erected, poplar poles are laid across them, covered with brush and then with mud, which contains so much clay that with the use of a little straw it becomes as hard as a brick. The houses may be whitewashed or not, according to the wealth and taste of the owners. They cost very little either in money or labor, and look as if a heavy rain would wash them away, but some of them have endured for centuries.

### What is time?

The busy man will answer

### TIME IS (?)

By  
WRIGHT A. PATTERSON.

than money; yes, more than money can buy. It represents FRIENDSHIP, it represents COURTESY.

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## The Press.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

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We are authorized to announce  
OLIVE K. JAMES

A candidate to represent the First District of Kentucky in Congress under the name of the Democratic party.

Vote May 24.

Reward the faithful and deserving; then the party grows in strength and power.

Mr. James did not wait for an office to present itself before he tendered his talents to the cause.

Go to the primary May 24 and cast your vote for that courageous Democrat, Olive James. He deserves the best things his party has.

The candidates for Congress are swinging around the circle. The superiority of Olive James as a debater is apparent at every meeting and his superior fitness for the office is felt by the people wherever and whenever the matter is discussed.

Olive James has performed ten years of active, earnest and effective party service. This, when we consider, his sturdy, honest make-up, and his eminent ability, merits the favorable consideration of every Democrat in the district.

The friends of Mr. Crossland are very much encouraged at the news that are coming in from the various counties in the district. Mayfield Messenger.

We have always contended that Sam's friends wanted him to stay at home, and now certainly they feel "very much encouraged" at the flattering prospect for realizing the materialization of their wishes.

On May 24 the Democrats of this congressional district will hold an open, fair primary election to nominate a candidate for congress. The election was regularly called, by the lawfully constituted party authority. The committee calling it is constituted of men as honest and upright as ever served the district in that capacity; they were chosen because of their integrity and because of their loyalty to the party. They gave the candidates ample time to canvass the district; they asked their fellow Democrats to hold the primary without charge for services as election officers; they provided that each of the candidates could have representatives on the election boards in each precinct. If there is any fairer way of doing business we have not heard of it. Show your faith in the doctrines of your party, and the interest you have in your country and its welfare by going to the polls and giving your support to the man you believe to be the best qualified and the most deserving. This is a duty every Democrat owes his party.

### Deeds Recorded.

J. W. Pickering to Mrs Mary J. Cooksey, lot in Dycusburg.

Gordon F. Pickering to Mary J. Cooksey, lot in Dycusburg.

Mrs Kate Bennett to Mrs. Mary J. Cooksey, lot in Dycusburg.

D. C. Chandler to Lulu J. Reese, one of river front on Tradewater.

J. D. Asher to Lulu T. Reese, right river front for purpose of building boats, barges, etc.

P. H. Woods to Geo M. Sisco, land on Claylick creek.

S. D. Asher to Ayers & Lord Tie Company, timber on land, \$500.

W D Wallingford to Wm Schellhorn, lease on land near Marion.

W. S. Kemp to E. R. Yost, house and lot in Shady Grove, \$800.

R. Stephenson to R. E. Gray, 8 acres on Dry Fork, \$130.

## DR. DAUCHTRY

Is it of His Escape from the City of Pittsburgh Returns to Kentucky

Dr. W. T. Dauchtry and family have returned to this city from Amsterdam, N.Y. They came up the Ohio river on the steamer Joe Fowler and have been the guests of the Doctor's father, Mr. Louis Dauchtry, residing near Wilkerson Landing for several days.

Dr. Dauchtry lost his diploma in the fire and has not yet got it replaced until August. When he arrived at Amsterdam, N.Y. he found that he could not practice without his diploma so he decided to return to Kentucky and will probably resume the practice of medicine in that city.

In describing his escape from the burning steamer Dr. Dauchtry said:

I was awake when the alarm of fire was given. I heard the mate run across my stateroom and yell to the pilot that the boat was on fire and to run to the shore with all possible speed. I got up, awakened my wife and child, and put on my pants coat and vest. We all put on life preservers and when I opened my stateroom door the flames were leaping inside the cabin and the glass in the doors and the windows was cracking. I told my wife we had better go into the water as quickly as possible, for when all the passengers got up there would be a stampede and we might get separated. She had on night gown and the boy had nothing on but a union suit.

"The boat was going to the bank. The back doors were open and the draught was sweeping the fire from the front rapidly to the rear.

We went to the outside, and, with my boy in my arms, I let myself down a rope back of the wheelhouse into the water and my wife followed. When she got into the water she said, 'Here I am,' and commenced swimming. The boy, according to my instructions crawled on my back and held on around my neck. He soon became numb and could not hold on, so I pulled his arms around my neck and caught hold of his shirt sleeves with my teeth. I held him in this way and stayed beside my wife until we got out on the bank. Some estimated that we got ashore miles below the wreck, while others said it was a mile and a half, and others two miles. The boy fell limp on the bank. I covered him up with my coat and started up the bank, but I was so stiff and exhausted that I fell every few feet. My wife had to help me up several times. Finally a yawl came down and picked us up, and carried us near the wreck, where there was a good fire. I was uneasy about my boy and was afraid I was going to lose him. He was placed beside a good fire that had been built on the bank and in a little while he revived. It was an awful experience, and no one could find words to express the scene."

## DR. T. A. FRAZER

Elected President of the Medical Association.

The Ohio Valley Medical Association was in session at Owensboro Friday and Saturday. A large number of physicians were in attendance. Dr. T. Atchison Frazer, of this city, was elected President of the Association. Dr Frazer served as Vice President during the past year. He is an active member of the Association, and richly deserves the honor bestowed upon him.

### Marriage Licenses.

April 30th. J. L. Gardner and Miss Ross Brown.  
April 30th. R. L. Wood and Miss Clara Atwood.  
April 29th. J. A. Walker and Miss Maud J. Beabout.

## NEW HOTEL

Project on Feet to Build a \$25,000 Hotel in Marion.

An effort is being made to organize a stock company for the purpose of erecting a \$25,000 hotel in Marion. The gentlemen managing the plan are said to be men of means and business capacity, and they confidently expect to succeed. We are informed that the idea originated with some gentlemen from abroad who have become interested in our mining enterprise, and have great faith in the future of Marion. They are endeavoring to interest local capital and have the ear of some of our citizens. The lot adjoining the Press office on the east is the site spoken of for the new building. It is proposed to erect a brick building modeled after the most approved plans for a modern hotel, water works, steam heat, and all other modern improvements will go into the building.

## COV. BOB TAYLOR

Will Lecture in this City May 20,  
Assisted by Quartette.

The numerous admirers of Tennessee's famous ex-governor will be delighted to hear that Gov. Bob Taylor, the prince of entertainers and the king of the American platform, will appear at the opera house in this city Tuesday evening, May 20th, and will deliver his latest lecture entitled, "THE OLD PLANTATION." In presenting this splendid theme he will have the assistance of a superb male quartette, and music by this quartette will be beautifully interwoven into the lecture, bringing out, strengthening and illustrating its points of humor, pathos and beauty. In the various quartette songs which are given throughout the lecture Gov. Taylor sings the leading part. Clothing philosophy in the gentle garb of humor and song, he reaches the tenderest sentiments of every heart. As an impersonator of character he has no superior. With the versatility of his genius he betrays the customs and oddities of a people who built a civilization which is now only a distant and tender memory. On the wings of his oratory and the tide of his songs, he carries you back to the days when the darkies sang in the cotton fields and the lords and ladies of the plantation, mounted on their thoroughbreds, mingled their shouts with the music of the running hounds in the joyous chase."

Gov. Taylor is the most popular man on the lecture platform. He never fails to charm an audience, and the demand for return engagements is greater than it is in his power to fill. He was heard in his beautiful lecture, "Sentiment," in this city last year. A crowded house greeted him then, and an immense audience will hear him this season. If the management was not assured of a large audience it would be folly to bring him here, as he commands the largest guarantee of any platform entertainer.

The lecture is the fifth feature of the "Brilliant Constellation." Those holding season tickets must call at the Press office this week and receive coupon tickets. It matters not if you have not used your tickets on some other attraction, you can not secure over two tickets for this lecture if you hold a double season ticket, or one if you hold a single season ticket. Seats are now on sale at the PRESS office.

## NOTICE.

To THE TAX PAYERS OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY:

The tax books for the year 1902 are now complete, and on Monday, May 5, 1902, I shall be ready to receive taxes for the year 1902.

J. W. Lamb, s. o. c.

This April 30, 1902.

## COMMENCEMENT

Exercises of the School Term Place This Week

The eighth year of the Marion graded school comes this week. The Commencement Exercises will be held at the opera house Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. There are thirty-two common school graduates and also young ladies and gentlemen complete the High School course. The exercises of the common school graduates will be held Thursday and Friday, while Saturday evening will be devoted to the High School class. The manager of the opera house has engaged Schubert's Orchestra of Evansville to furnish music. The orchestra is considered the best in Evansville. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged; reserved seats 15 cents.

The high school graduates are Misses Clara Nunn, Lelia Wilborn Estelle Walker, Sadie Rankin, Lillie Doss, and Messrs W. L. Terry, Ernest Carnahan, Hickman Walker and Lonnie Towery. Miss Estelle Walker is the valedictorian, and Mr. Terry is the salutatorian. The program Saturday evening will consist of sketches. The Statue Scene from "Winters Tale" and "A Shakespearian Conference."

The common school graduates are Misses Isa Price, Edna Roberts, Ethel Hard, Virgie Fort, Iva Hicklin, Pearl Daniel, Ada Bracey, Annie Cannon, Bessie Woods, Nellie Boston, Ida Beabout Mary Finley, Vic Jennings, Vernon Casner, Ella Oats, Daisy Towery, Lucile Daniels, Jetie Nichols, Lavine Woods, Mildred Haynes, and Messrs S. L. Carnahan, W. M. Nunn, G. L. Vaughn, Wilbur Haynes, J. A. Hill, Cleveland Wolfe, E. E. Phillips, W. E. Potter, Alton Paris, David Driskill, Virgil Moore and Eugene Joiner. Mr. Joiner is valedictorian.

## LOCKED IN THE JAILER.

James Vick Turns Key on Travis and Escapes.

Monday morning the tables were turned down at the county prison and Jailer Travis found himself a prisoner, while one of his boarders, suddenly and unofficially restored to liberty, made a dash for the country. Mr. Travis was having some work done inside the corridors. He stepped into one of the cells, and Jas. A. Vick, one of the prisoners, reached through the bars, turned the key, opened the door and walked out. He locked the door behind him and left. The alarm was given and Vick was pursued. However, he made good his escape. It was necessary to force the door in order to liberate Mr. Travis. Later the keys were found in the yard of the Crawford residence. Vick is charged with forgery.

Monday afternoon Vick was arrested at Carrsville by Nick Bridges and brought to this city Tuesday and lodged in jail. Parties from Livingston county came up to fill a bond for Vick, but it has not yet been accepted.

### Admiral Sampson is Dead.

Admiral Sampson died at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at his home in Washington. He had a hemorrhage from the brain early in the afternoon and sank rapidly.

Bret Harte, the American author, died in London Monday night.

### Stray Notice.

On April 23rd a bay mare, black mane and tail, thin in order, white speck on ham, came to my house, three miles south of Marion. Owner can have same by paying expense.

W. W. Stovall.

Pure apple Brandy, imported Gin, best Wines at Doses.

## Seasonable

## Merchandise.

I have received my stock of NEW SPRING GOODS and it comprises the best values in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Ladies and Gents Furnishings.

Complete Stock of . . . Groceries and Provisions.

Remember I pay the Highest Market Price for Chickens, Eggs and Produce of all kinds.

J. W. PRITCHETT,  
GLADSTONE, - - - KENTUCKY.

Having been a Better Friend to you for the past 20 years than to myself I feel like you owe me your patronage. I will give you no better treatment than in the past.

**WILL PAY YOU CASH**  
and Cash Only for Eggs, Poultry, Wool, Sang, Hides, Feathers, Etc

Don't Stop until you get to the Ohio Valley Produce Co.'s House. You will find your old Reliable M. Schwab, Manager there, to treat you fare.

**OHIO VALLEY PRODUCE CO**

M. SCHWAB, Manager.

town told them that they saw Mr. Threlkeld jump overboard early Sunday morning. They tried to give the alarm but could make no one hear.

He was forty-two years of age and unmarried. He is supposed to have drowned himself in a temporary attack of insanity.

Miss Myrtle Babb, daughter of Mr. Alonzo Babb of Carrsville, died last week of blood poisoning. The death was rather unexpected until the past few days and came in the nature of a shock to the entire community. Miss Babb was first taken ill with a throat trouble which later developed into blood poisoning.

The Cumberland Courier says: Mr. Albert Patterson of Frances, Ky., and Miss Martha Cox of Salem, went to Golconda last week, where they were married in marriage. The groom is 23 and the bride 19.

Will Worley, the young man who shot and wounded Ira Driskill, of the Newburn section of Livingston county, last December at the latter's home, was given a trial in the circuit court last week. The jury was out several hours and on Tuesday returned a verdict fixing his punishment at 15 months in the penitentiary.

As will be recalled Worley had been hunting and stopped at the Driskill home. The boy called him a "Democrat," and as the little fellow playfully ran, Worley leveled his gun and fired. The defense made the plea of accidental shooting.

A report is being circulated that William J. Threlkeld, of Livingston county, drowned himself a week ago by jumping from the steamer John S. Hopkins.

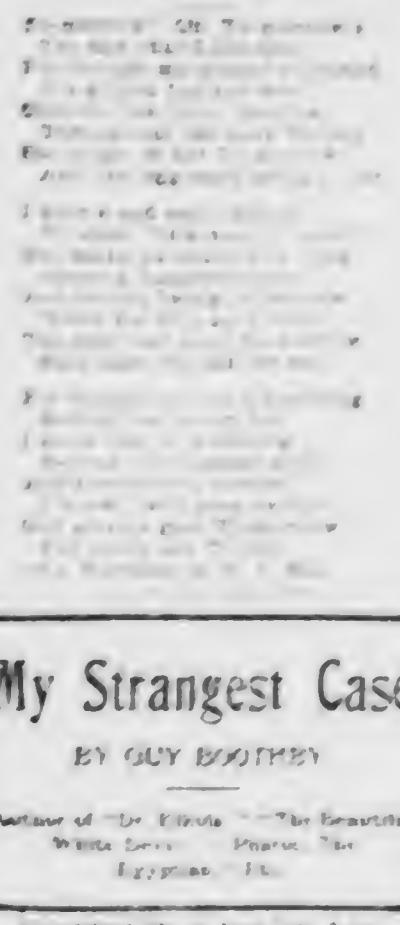
Mr. Threlkeld boarded the boat at Carrsville, bound for Louisville. He retired to his stateroom soon after coming aboard, first leaving his coat and watch in the office. He was never seen again, and the officers of the boat did not know what became of him until Tuesday, when some men of Union-

town told them that they saw Mr. Threlkeld jump overboard early Sunday morning. They tried to give the alarm but could make no one hear.

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You're to please,  
A. M. HEARIN & SON.  
We are now ready to make contracts for ice for the season,





## My Strangest Case

BY GUY BOOTHBY

Author of "Dr. Kildare," "The Beautiful White Slave," "Prairie Fire," "Egyptian Gold."

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The author begins his story with a brief history of his life, mentioning his work as a reporter and his travels. He then describes his arrival in New York City and his meeting with Dr. Kildare, who becomes his mentor and friend. They work together on a newspaper, and Dr. Kildare introduces him to the world of journalism. The author continues to work as a reporter, covering various stories and developing his writing skills. He also meets a woman named Mary, whom he falls in love with. The story ends with the author's return to England, where he continues to write and work as a reporter.



HE FLAMED A HEAVY SOOT AND THEN RODE TO DEATH

graphed, and what's more you must remember that when we reached Nanjing, the station on the frontier of Burma, we had scarcely a rag upon our backs. Any goods and chattels we might once have possessed were in the hands of the thief.

"Oh, no, I did not mean that exactly," she replied, blushing prettily. "I should like to feel that you did it for the reason that you believe in the justice of their cause, not merely because I tried to persuade you into it. That would not be fair either to them or to you."

"Would it not be possible for it to be on account of both reasons?" I asked. "Let us hope so. And now good morning, Miss Kitwater. I trust your uncle will have good news for you when you see him again this afternoon."

"I hope so, too," she answered, and then with a renewal of her thanks and a little bow she left the office.

I closed the door and went back to my seat, almost wondering at my own behavior. Here was I, a hard-headed man of the world, being drawn into an extraordinary piece of business, which I had most certainly decided to have nothing to do with, simply because a pretty girl had smiled upon me, and had made me to do it. For I don't mind confessing that I had made up my mind to help Kitwater and Codd in their search for the villain Hayle. The Trust company would have to look elsewhere for assistance. And yet, as I had the best of reasons for knowing, that piece of business was likely to prove twice as remunerative as this search for the traitorous friend. Happily, however, money is not everything in this world.

During the remainder of the day I found myself looking forward with a feeling that was almost akin to eagerness, to the interview I was to have with Kitwater and Codd that afternoon. If the two gentlemen had faults, unpunctuality was certainly

one of them, for I had been waiting for them for half an hour.

"This is certainly a curious sort of mission," I said to myself as I watched him. "He may be smitten on one cheek, but I secretly fancy he would be content to turn the other to the striker."

At this moment Coddy leant forward in his chair, and placed his hand upon his friend's arm. The effect was magical. This fit of impotent rage died down as suddenly as it had sprung up, and immediately he became again the quiet, suave, smooth-spoken individual who had first entered my office.

"I must beg your pardon, Mr. Fairfax," he said, in a totally different voice to that in which he had just spoken. "When I remember how we have been wronged, I am apt to forget myself. I trust you will forgive me?"

"I will do so willingly," I answered.

"You have certainly won the right to be excused if you entertain a tech-

nical and scientific knowledge of the subject, and I am sure that you will be able to give me all the information I require."

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"I think that is a good idea," he said.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

The Continued Story  
of Current Events.

### NEW SALEM.

W. O. Hayden and wife of Salem were guests of friends in this section last Sunday.

Dr. Wolford shot his second cow Friday. This makes two fine milk cows and three hogs that Mr. Wolford has had to kill on account of mad dogs. As he rest of his stock were also exposed he is very uneasy about them.

Dave Wolford is trying a tassel with the mumps.

Will Taylor had a fine mare to die last week.

About two thirds of the corn crop is planted, and with favorable weather the coming week the bulk of the corn crop will go in the ground.

This section was visited by a water spout about 6 p.m. on the evening of the 1st, doing great damage to plowed lands and to corn planted.

Hon. W. J. Bryan passed through our section recently. He stopped where some of our neighbors were working on the road and extended the right hand of fellowship.

The tobacco crop will be set from ten days to two weeks later than last year, on account of the backwardness of the plants.

There is some little improvement in the growing wheat crop, and from present indications we will harvest 65 or 70 per cent of a crop.

No peaches, a few plums and cherries, and half a crop of apples is the present fruit outlook.

Felix Tyner went to Evansville Sunday.

Look out for mad dogs is the watch-word in this section.

Will Lowery and John Harpenden are two mighty snake hunters.

The mining interest continues on the boom; don't be afraid it is going to play out; it is just in its infancy.

Pastures are getting good at last; the hog crop is the shortest in years in this section.

The oat crop is slim and looks mighty bad.

Charley Brown dares any man in Crittenden and Livingston counties to run a mule race with him on a fourth or half mile track. Charlie has a flyer.

**DANGEROUS TO NEGLECT.**

Burns, cuts and other wounds often fail to heal properly if neglected and become troublesome sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve prevents such consequences. Even where delay has aggravated the injury DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve effects a cure. "I had a running sore on my leg thirty years," writes H. C. Hartley, Yankee town, Ind., and after using many remedies, I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes ended the sore." Cures all skin diseases. Piles yield to it at once. Beware of counterfeits. For sale at Haynes'.

### CHAPEL HILL.

Health of the community good. Charlie Clement will build an addition to his tobacco barn.

Eura Bigham sold to Babb & Co. a lot of shoots.

Three car loads of fertilizer at Glenn Co's of Crayneville—Eagle Brand, homestead and Horseshoes.

Cutworms are very numerous in our neighborhood.

Bob Nunn and Bob Wheeler, from Leavenworth were in this section selling fertilizer last week.

### STARR.

Tobacco plants are coming. Rev Wallace filled Bro Vaughan's appointment at Piney creek Sunday.

Gilbert McNeely, of Caldwell county was here Sunday.

Dr Wilborn of Sheridan has moved in this community.

Mrs J. J. McNeely has returned to his vicinity.

Rev Woodruff will preach at Piney Sunday.

J C Bibb has secured the school at Leavenworth.

Chas Thomas has applied for the school at Lone Star.

Sunday school is in progress at Piney rock, P. M. Woodall at the helm.

Carl Boucher is digging a cistern; Carl wants water.

Married Mr Albert McCormick and Miss Annie Shinall. We wish them success.

C. C. Woodall and bride attended church at Piney creek Sunday.

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### FRANCES.

On our sick list we have J. D. H. Oliver, G. W. Paris and Cash Ralston.

The saw mill will be ready to leave by the last of the month.

G. W. Parish had a fine cow killed by lightning on the 28th.

The Kentucky Spar Company has suspended work at the Wheeler mines for a short time.

The Asbridge mines are again in operation.

Mr. Potter, the carpenter, is building a log washer at the Yandell mines.

We all say, "Rah for Ollie!"

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